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CHULA VISTA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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CHULA VISTA FIRE DEPARTMENT SETS NEW MINIMUM RISER SIZE FOR NFPA 13-R SYSTEMS

- Automatic residential fire sprinkler systems shall have a minimum riser size (nominal diameter width) of one and a half inches (1.5”).

This requirement will help to ensure that “only listed or approved devices and materials” as specified in National Fire Protection Association (NFPA 13R) are used. In the City of Chula Vista, NFPA 13R systems are required to have fire department connections. Depending on the system configuration, check valves will be installed on the fire sprinkler riser. Currently, “listed” check valves smaller than 1.5” are not available.



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